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## Four Former Coleman Residents Victims of Drowning Fatality

Word was received in Coleman on Monday of this week that the Arrow Lakes had claimed five lives, four of them well known and highly respected former residents of Coleman, in the persons of Mrs. D. Rogers, two daughters, Mary Kelly and Sarah Rogers; Miss Fanny Graham, and Mr. Albert Marsland, when a boat in which they were attempting to cross the lake capsized.

Mrs. Daniel Rogers and her two daughters were residents here for many years. Mr. Rogers being a nephew of Mr. J. Rogers, 6th street, while a son, Mr. Peter Kelly, is also a resident of Coleman. Miss Fanny Graham is also well known to many local people, being a daughter of Mr. William Graham, a past president of the district miners union, who resided in Coleman for many years before moving to Mackinac about seven years ago. The bereaved members of the families have the heartfelt sympathy of many old friends in Coleman in their shocking bereavement.

The following account of the tragedy is taken from Monday's issue of the Nelson News:—

NAKUSP, B.C., Jan. 2.—The worst drowning fatality in the history of the Arrow lakes occurred New Year's morning, when five people were hurled to their deaths by the capsizing of their boat.

The victims were Mrs. Daniel Rogers, 48, whose husband is a miner at Big Valley, Alta., owning a fruit ranch at the steamer landing at Mackinac, 18 miles south of Nakusp; her daughter by a former husband, Mary Kelly, 21; a younger daughter, Sarah, 6; Miss Fanny Graham, 17, of Mackinac, daughter of William Graham, who was for years secretary of the miners' union in Alberta, and Albert Marsland, 30, single, whose farm is on the opposite side of the lake from Mackinac.

Mr. Marsland lived with his mother. Mrs. Rogers is also survived by a son, Peter Kelly, at Coleman, Alta.

The party had attended a concert and dance at Arrow Park, New Year's eve, when they had the most enjoyable time. They left for their home about 3 o'clock Saturday morning, and drove off in their sleigh. They were seen by Mrs. Marsland, mother of one of the victims, about 4 o'clock, when Mrs. (Continued on Page Eight)

## United Church Notes

The date of the annual meeting of the congregation has been fixed for Tuesday, January 18th at 7:30 p. m. This will be of interest to the congregation generally, and there should be a good attendance.

Rev. Geo. Woods, of the "Woods Christian Homes" will present the story and claims of the homes on January 18th. This work has many sympathizers in Coleman and Mr. Woods will be heard with real interest.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday morning next at the morning service. No cards will be issued at this time, but all members and adherents should arrange to be present. The public generally are invited.

On the Sunday evening nearest Burn's Night, the minister will take as a topic, "The Poetry and Religion of Robt. Burns."

# THE COLEMAN JOURNAL



DR. J. H. GRISDALE  
Deputy Minister of the Canadian Department of Agriculture, is chairman of the World's Poultry Congress Committee and will have much to do with the preparations for the huge gathering of poultrymen which is set for Ottawa next July.

## Moose To Hold Big Rally

Women of Mooseheart Legion to be Instituted in Coleman Sunday, January 9th.

Coleman Lodge No. 918, Women of Mooseheart Legion, will be instituted and officers installed on Sunday afternoon, January 9th, by A. J. Ingram, Deputy Grand Regent for Alberta, F. C. Diefendaper, Supreme Auditor and Deputy Grand Regent of Seattle, assisted by the Lethbridge Women's degree team.

A joint initiation of Blairmore and Coleman women members will take place at 3 p. m., Sunday afternoon. All women members who have signed applications for membership are urgently requested to attend. The installation of officers will take place at 7 p. m. and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this part of the day's program.

A hearty invitation is extended to the general public to attend a public gathering Sunday evening at 8:15 in the Moose Hall and hear several prominent speakers outline the aims and objects of this noble order.

## Christmas Examinations

Below will be found some additional results of the Christmas exams, in the local schools. The balance of the grades will appear in next week's Journal.

### Coleman High School Grade X.

M. Jones 79, M. Panik 79, M. Pisony 77, G. Higginbotham 70, M. Baron 71, G. McKinnon 70, H. Charles 69, L. Johnston 69, H. Dunlop 68, J. Pattinson 67, M. Price 66, A. Cameron 66, A. Sapets 65, E. Greenhugh 65, V. Lilya 65, D. Burrows 64, D. Burns 64, J. Heibell 64, R. Spillers 64, K. Davidson 62, J. Kubin 62, J. Kilgannon 61, A. Kobout 61, L. Emmerson 61, M. Moores 60, A. Hall 60, I. Hayson 59, J. Janostak 58, M. Groat 56, D. Flynn 54, G. Neilson 46, V. Davies 38, E. Price 38.

The Journal is always pleased to receive local news items, and we are also glad to have a two dollar bill if your subscription is due. Thank you!

### St. Paul's United Church of Canada

Sunday, Jan. 9th  
2:30 p. m. Sunday School.  
11 a. m. Morning Worship.  
7 p. m. Evening Service.  
You will enjoy the congregational singing.  
Strangers and visitors cordially invited to the services.  
H. J. Bevan, Minister.

## Local and General Briefs.

Mr. J. Balloch, who met with a serious accident in the mine a few weeks ago, is making good progress towards recovery in the local hospital.

Mrs. David Brown has been confined to her home with a severe attack of tonsillitis the past couple of weeks.

Blairmore hockey team meet the Coleman Tigers on local ice on Friday night of this week.

Curling and skating was resumed at the local rinks on Wednesday evening of this week after seven days of enforced idleness owing to the mild weather.

The many friends of Mr. Wm. Turner, star of the Blairmore hockey team a few years ago, will be glad to know that "Bill" is gradually winning in his fight against a serious illness which has kept him confined to a sanatorium in Calgary for the past two years. Mr. Turner spent Christmas and New Year's at his home in Blairmore, and every hope is held out that by this time next year he will be discharged as completely cured.

The Rebels will hold a special meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11th, at 7:30, when the officers will be installed. All members are requested to be present.

### Elks 7, Tigers 6.

Coleman Tigers met the Blairmore Elks in a Crow League fixture at the home of the Bruins on Wednesday evening of this week and were forced to accept the short end of a 7-6 score after one of the fastest and best exhibitions of hockey seen in a league game this season.

Master Richard Borden returned to Victoria on Sunday to resume his studies at college.

A printer's error in last week's paper was responsible for The Journal stating that Mrs. S. Moores underwent an operation for appendicitis. This should have read Mr. S. Moores. Sam's many friends will be glad to know that he is getting along nicely and will be around again in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haining spent New Year's Day with friends in Calgary, returning to Coleman on the local Monday afternoon.

A number of British Columbia wheat farmers on the Canadian National line to Prince Rupert have joined the Alberta Wheat Pool. Samples of wheat from this part of B. C., received at the Pool office in Calgary, are of excellent quality.

Miss A. Yuill of the local teaching staff returned from Calgary on Monday where she spent the school holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmerson and family spent New Year's day at the home of Mr. Emmerson's brother at Bellevue.

A wise chap remarked the other day: "Another good thing about telling the truth, you don't have to remember what you say."

The annual meeting of the congregation of St. Alban's, Coleman, will be held in the Parish Hall at 8 p. m., on Wednesday, January 12th.

Mr. P. Kelly left for Mackinac on the Arrow Lakes, on Monday of this week, upon receipt of the sad news that his mother, Mrs. D. Rogers, and sister, Mary Kelly, had lost their lives in a drowning fatality, early New Year's morning.

## Coal Industry Planning Further Improvements

According to reliable information secured by The Journal, 1927 in Coleman will witness a new departure in the method of disposing of a considerable portion of our local coal production.

The coal cleaning plants erected by the mine companies operating here during the past year, have been the first step taken in this direction. By the end of 1927 at least one of the companies will have taken still another step towards widening their sales horizon, resulting in increased and more steady production throughout the year.

The Journal is net at liberty at this time to give out the exact details of just what form this new departure will take, but there is every possibility that the new process, when in operation, will tend to stabilize the coal industry locally and be a big advance towards the day—not far distant—when Coleman coal will be scientifically treated to remove the valuable by-products.

## Chinook Winds

The following article taken from the Calgary Herald from the pen of F. W. Godal, an old timer of The Pass, is of more than passing interest at this particular time by reason of the fact that this district has been experiencing some real stiff chinook winds during the past few weeks:—

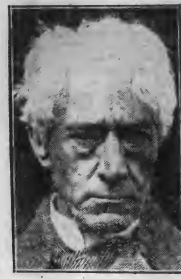
"The Chinook wind is, by whatever name it may be locally called, a phenomenon found in many parts of the world, wherever a moist warm air is carried up over a mountain range. In Switzerland it is known as a Fohn wind. It has been observed in the Arctic regions. The writer noticed it in Ceylon; but most strikingly in New Zealand, where in the south island the Canterbury plains are bounded on the west by a high range of mountains, just as Alberta is bounded on the west by the Rockies. While staying with some friends a few years ago at the foot of this New Zealand mountain range, an arch of cloud appeared in the west, similar to the 'Chinook arch' in Alberta, and the people at once exclaimed: 'See the arch! We shall have a warm wind today.'"

"Chinook winds do not come through mountain passes, as is sometimes ignorantly supposed, but over the mountains at a great height, depositing their moisture as rain or snow, on the mountain tops."

"The reason is as follows: Air loses 1 degree of temperature in each 300 feet as it rises. If the air is very moist it may require 400 feet to lose 1 degree, and 180 feet rise may be enough if very dry. The pressure lessening as it rises, it gives out moisture in the form of rain, snow or clouds. Descending again dry it gains 1 degree of temperature in each 180 feet, and, moreover, through pressure, retains what little moisture was left, and is very dry."

"Thus, supposing damp air at the Pacific coast at 50 degrees temperature, rises over the Rocky Mountains to an elevation of, say, 15,000 feet, loses 1 degree every 300 feet, or 50 degrees in all, making it zero. Falling dry on the eastern slope of the mountains it gains a degree for every 200 feet, or even 180 feet if very dry, and so reaches 75 degrees, and the snow disappears on our prairies."

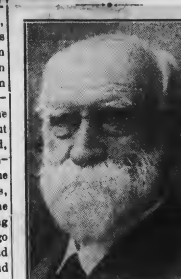
"We thus understand how a warm west wind can come over the snow-covered Rockies. It has come over



THE CZAR OF BASEBALL  
A new picture of Judge Landis, who unearthed the baseball scandal that brought about the downfall of Cobb, Speaker, Joe Wood and Dutch Leonard. The Judge only a few days before the showdown had his salary increased from \$50,000 to \$65,000 per year.

## A Breath of the Prairie

"The Canadian", a film taken from Arthur Stringers book "The Land of Promise," a story of the Canadian prairies, shown at the Palace and Grand theatres last Friday and Saturday, proved to be one of the finest big features shown in Coleman for a long time. Thomas Meighan has never been seen to better advantage than in the role of a farmer homesteading on an Alberta farm, while the other members of the cast played their parts equally well. The entire production carried a "home" touch for many in Coleman who formerly lived on the rolling prairie and are conversant with the joys and sorrows of the grain growers strenuous life.



CANADA'S OLDEST LAWMAKER  
Hon. G. C. Desautels, a member of the Canadian Senate, will be 100 years old next September, and is not only the oldest legislator in Canada, but perhaps the oldest in the world. When Parliament opened recently he walked to his seat without assistance, and his handwriting is bold and firm, showing no sign of his great age.

them, but at a great height, and deposited some snow on them, and comes to us a welcome, warm, dry wind, sometimes as gentle as a lamb, but more often with terrible force, and like the Fohn wind in Switzerland, carrying everything moveable before it.

"Victoria, at the south end of Vancouver Island, also enjoys a Chinook effect, caused by the Olympic mountains, in the state of Washington, to the southwest. The rainfall for Victoria in 1925 was only 20.66 inches, and in 1899, 18.56 inches, the average being about 27 inches. The Chinook effects only the extreme south end of Vancouver Island, and the coast of Washington opposite the rainfall is very much heavier on the mainland, and also on the west coast of Vancouver Island."

The Journal is making a "second call" this week to those who are in arrears for their subscription. A goodly number of \$2 bills floated in last week. We can still find a place for more. Thank you!

## Local and General Briefs.

Many Coleman merchants are this week busily engaged in stock-taking.

The weather man threw a monkey wrench into all winter activities last week end when he sent this part of Alberta a spring like warm Chinook wind. The big ice carnival arranged for New Year's Eve had to be cancelled as was also the bonspiel on New Year's Day. All skating and hockey games have been off for the past week as the weather still continues mild.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan spent New Year's day with relatives at Blairmore.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Easton were the guests of relatives at Bellevue on Saturday of last week.

Miss Milligan, of Drumheller, has taken Miss Robertson's place on the staff of Central school.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lindoe spent the New Year with Mrs. Lindoe's parents at New Dayton.

Andrew Babuk, a well educated and progressive Ukrainian, is now studying Wheat Pool methods at the Head Office of the organization. He will later take up field work among the 65,000 Ukrainian farmers in Alberta to encourage as many of them as possible to join the Pool. Mr. Babuk's headquarters will be at Veggieville.

Mr. Frank Graham, Sr., and Miss Dorothy Graham, who have spent the past three months in Vancouver, returned to Coleman on Monday night's train.

The Coleman Town Band were out bright and early on New Year's Day, and spent a busy and joyful time of it in making their usual rounds dispensing sweet music. The band boys serenaded the various mine officials and other notables at their homes where the bandmen received the usual gifts in acknowledgment.

Miss G. McKay, who spent the holidays in Calgary, returned to Coleman on Saturday morning last.

Read A. Booth's most avid in this issue of The Journal. He is offering some money saving specials this and next week.

## Don't forget the big Fancy Dress Carnival in the Rink next Wednesday night.

Everything is ready for the "curtain" at the big smoker being staged by the local lodge of Elks on Friday evening of this week. Come early and avoid the rush, as it's going to be a "wow!"

Mrs. Clifford is the new primary teacher in Cameron school, replacing Miss Imley who recently resigned.

H. C. McBurney, droggist and stationer, has distributed a quantity of fine large thermometers in town the past week.

Mr. Fred Antrobus returned to Edmonton on Friday last after spending the holiday with his parents in Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Antrobus.

Mr. Charles L. Scott, who spent Christmas and New Year's with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott, returned to Seattle last week. Mrs. Scott is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. G. Hall, of Caribou, before joining her husband at Seattle.

Miss Agnes Kellock returned to Calgary on Monday night's passenger to resume her studies at college.



## U. S. PRESIDENT IS OPPOSED TO MILITARY SPIRIT

Trenton, N.J.—President Coolidge has again affirmed his faith in the United States as being "strong enough and brave enough" to take "independent action" to resist "another domination of the world by the military spirit."

Speaking at the Semi-Centennial celebration of Washington's crossing of the Delaware, the president said the world has been striving to advance in the direction of peace, to "discard the old theory of relying on force and to adopt the new method of relying on reason. We are in danger of slipping back into the old formula. The habit and tradition of ages call us in that direction."

While "moral disarmament" is necessary to obtain definite and permanent peace in the world, the president asserted that the attainment of such an object, in view of the present mentality of mankind, would greatly and necessarily be aided by international treaties limiting the "use and sale" of armaments.

"I do not believe we can advance the policy of peace by a return to the policy of competitive armaments," he asserted. "While I favor an adequate army and navy, I am opposed to any effort to militarize this nation. When that militarism has been worked out to its logical conclusion, the result has always been a complete failure. We can render no better service to humanity than to put forth all our influence to prevent the world from slipping back into the grasp of that raging system."

## Trans-Atlantic Telephone

Fee From London to New York Will Be \$75 for Three Minutes

London.—Trans-Atlantic telephone service which is to be available to the public early in January will cost £12 (about \$75) for the first three minutes of a call and £5 for each additional minute. It was announced today by the postmaster-general.

Wrong numbers won't count, however, and unless the London "switch" gets the particular person asked for in the New York area, to which the service is limited at present, the charge will be £2 for making the attempt. Calls will be limited to 12 minutes when others are waiting to talk across the ocean.

## Ghandism Again Favored

Principles Party Reinstated by National Council of India

Gandhi, India.—Back to Ghandism! appeared as the refrain of the Indian National Congress, which concluded its sessions. Among the resolutions was one providing that all the members must wear native cloth, to make the boycott against foreign cloth effective. Thus the principle of non-cooperation with the British Government and a boycott of foreign cloth, advocated so strongly by Mahatma Gandhi, leader of the Nationalist movement in India, will be partly reinstated after a considerable period in which many of Gandhi's followers rejected his teachings.

## Leave on Mystery Survey

Reason for Engineer's Trip North of the Pas Not Known

Saskatoon.—A dispatch to the Saskatoon Star from The Pas states that a mysterious survey party consisting of three engineers, 30 men, six teams and 21 tons of supplies has left presumably to spy out the country between the Limestone River, on the Hudson Bay Railway projected route, and Fort Churchill.

While definite information could not be obtained, it was understood that The Pas that a possible route for a short line connecting the present Hudson Bay route to Port Nelson with Fort Churchill would be sought.

Manitoba House Meets Feb. 3

Winnipeg.—The fifth and final session of the present Legislature of Manitoba will open February 3, it was announced by Premier John Bracken. An imposing legislative program awaits the consideration of the members, including amendments to the provincial liquor laws and immigration policy.

Block Plague in Russia  
Irkutsk, Siberia.—An epidemic of black plague taking a hundred per cent mortality toll has broken out on the Mongolian steppes near Irkutsk. The Government has sent a medical expedition to the stricken area.

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## Eckner Will Attempt Non-Stop World Flight

Plans to Use New Zeppelin Now Under Construction

Friedrichshafen.—Dr. Hugo Eckner will attempt a round-the-world non-stop flight with the Zeppelin LZ127 as soon as it is completed and tested. It has been learned. The progress on the new ship enables the prediction to be made that it will leave its hangar for the first trial flight on the middle of June, and should be ready to circle the globe during the autumn. Dr. Lempert, a chemist of the staff of the Zeppelin Works, warrants the utility of the new airship, which will be 50 per cent larger than the Los Angeles. A new invention, which is being guarded with the greatest secrecy is said to guarantee the greatest safety. Special attention is being given to the radio equipment, with which it is hoped to keep in constant touch with the earth and from which steering directions will be given.

Though the ship will follow the proposed Seattle-Buenos Aires line and thence over the Pacific Ocean, there is a possibility that no landings will be made, since a new light fuel gas instead of heavy gasoline will give the Zeppelin a cruising range of 60,000 miles. Successful tests of the new gas fuel have been made with the Maybach motors.

At present the Zeppelin Works are engaged in putting in the ship's ribs of duralumin. Gondolas and other important parts have already been completed. After the world flight the ship will be put in European-South American service.

## Russia Will Build Rainmaking Machine

Factory for This Purpose Being Built at Leningrad

Leningrad.—A factory for building rainmaking machinery is under construction here. The Leningrad Meteorological Institute recently sent a rainmaking expedition to the remote Trans-Caucasian farming station of Kazik to make actual experiments in rain production. On the basis of this expedition's report of great success, construction of the factory was begun. Further tests in the Mugan steppe and in the Caucasus mountains. The nature of the rainmaking method and the character of machinery required to produce rain on demand has not yet been explained.

## Grain Rates Case

Privy Council to Hear Appeal of Western Provinces

Edmonton, Alta.—Premier Brownlee has advised Ottawa that Jan. 10 has been set as the date on which the privy council in Canada will hear the appeal of Alberta, British Columbia and Saskatchewan, in connection with the grain rates discrimination case. This is the outcome of a final by the House of Lords, in which the three provinces joined in an appeal to the courts for an order directing the board to give a decision.

## Friendship With Japan

General Booth Advocates Drawing Together of Eastern and Western Nations

London.—General Bramwell Booth, head of the Salvation Army, returning from his world tour, declared that he could see no greater blessing to the world than the drawing together of the countries of the world.

Ten thousand salvationalists gathered in Albert Hall to welcome their chief home. He described his travels and experiences, and admonished his hearers.

"Let us cultivate friendship with Japan, for friendship with Japan is worth to our nation more than any amount of armament."

Alberta Power Problem

Calgary.—Premier Brownlee of Alberta, Hon. Charles Stewart and probably Mayor Webster of Calgary, will meet in Ottawa between January 5 and 8 to discuss settlement of the power problem of Southern Alberta, according to information received by Mayor Webster from Mr. Stewart. Among other matters that will be taken up will be that of hydro-electric power development from Spray Lakes in Banff Park.

Disorder in D.C.  
Washington, D.C.—Americans are dying considerably less rapidly than in the past from tuberculosis, pneumonia and cerebral hemorrhages, but are succumbing more frequently to heart ailments, cancer and kidney disorders.

## Woman Will Compete In Quebec Dog Derby

Announces Intention of Driving Ten Labrador Huskies

Quebec.—Mushing through Canadian snows behind a snapping, growling, howling dog team is a man's job but when the famous Quebec dog derby gets underway this winter, for the first time in the history of the derby, a woman will compete. She will be up at the starting post with "Canada's best and hardest."

Mrs. Frank A. Wheeler, of North Conway, Mass., has written the officials in charge of the event here, asking for full particulars as to the running of the race, and also for an entry blank.

Mrs. Wheeler has a team of 10 Labrador huskies and expects to finish the prize money.

Another outstanding figure in the dog world who may also take part is Spallia, hero of the 400 mile non-stop trip to Nome, Alaska, a couple of winters ago, when he mushed that distance with his dogs carrying a load of serum to save the inhabitants of the little mining town from diphtheria.

Spallia is going to run in the New England dog derby, to be run at Berlin, February 10, 11 and 12, and efforts will be made to have him come to Quebec up for competition here.

## NO AMBASSADOR FROM AUSTRALIA TO UNITED STATES

New York.—"I do not think the time is ripe for the appointment of a minister to the United States, and that Australia is well served by the diplomatic corps of Great Britain, without engaging in that expensive, unproductive policy."

So declared Premier S. M. Bruce of Australia, on his arrival in New York from Europe.

Even the possibility that South Africa may follow the procedure of Canada and Ireland in the appointment of ministers, Mr. Bruce said, would not gauge the program for Australia. He said that there is excellent reason for the naming of ministers from Canada, to the United States as their adjoining boundaries and their waterways and other problems arising from their proximity to each other are frequently best met by diplomatic negotiations.

He said the relations between Australia and the United States are at present on more of a trade basis than a diplomatic one, and for that reason a commissioner best serves the purpose.

Mr. Bruce said that among the matters he would discuss upon which he would negotiate without the aid of any factors save those of good-will would be the one of lengthening the period in which Australian businessmen may visit in the United States without, as he expressed it, "awakening one day to find the horrible moment is upon them when they must leave the country."

## DENY ANY CHANGE IN IMMIGRATION LAWS OF U. S.

Washington.—No unusual tightening of immigration restrictions along the Canadian border has been ordered by United States immigration officials, Immigration Commissioner Hall said, but he pointed out that aliens should be prepared to prove their right of residence when they go out and return.

"Unless they have some evidence to submit to immigration inspectors that they are really entitled to live in the United States," he said, "they are likely to meet trouble and delay. At the very least, they must be able to give information as to the ports through which they first entered this country so that our records can be used to make the matter certain."

A dispatch from Vancouver said a number of British-born residents of the United States who went to Canada for Christmas had found themselves barred from returning to the United States because of a sudden tightening up of immigration laws. The dispatch said many had businesses in Pacific Coast cities and that protests and appeals had been forwarded to Washington.

## Prairie Air Mail Service

Conditions in Western Provinces are Ideal for Experiment

Edmonton.—Air mail service for Canada is very probable in the near future, and with an air port already in existence, Edmonton will likely be one of the first cities served in this respect in the west, said R. A. Hatchford, M.P. for East Edmonton, following receipt of a letter from the Postmaster-General of Canada relative to air mails.

The Postmaster-General has the matter under consideration at the present time, and it has been pointed out to him that there is no better place to experiment with an air mail service than on the prairies," said the Postmaster-General.

Air force officers from High River Field will be in Edmonton early in the year to carry out a series of experiments in connection with winter flying, and according to air force experts and postal authorities there is little to hinder the establishment of an air mail service across Canada.

Opposes War Debt Agreement

West.—Premier Millerand is fundamentally against ratification of the Washington agreement for funding the French war debt to the United States, he declared in an interview with L'Avance on the eve of launching his campaign for reelection to the Senate.

## Manitoba Oil Well

Yorkton.—Twenty barrels of crude oil from the Ross well in the Grand view, Man., were shipped to Winnipeg recently. The oil will be used for exhibition and advertising purposes. It is the first crude oil ever shipped from either Manitoba or Saskatchewan to the outside.



## Honor Canadian Pacific Liner

When the Canadian Pacific liner Metta steamed into the harbor of Antwerp towards the middle of November, it was the occasion of a great celebration, for she was the 10,000th ship to enter the Belgian port this year. Never in the history of the port has such a record been established. King Albert of Belgium, upon hearing the news, wired his sincere congratulations to the Burgo-master of Antwerp. The entire city rejoiced and celebrated. Huge crowds cheered Captain A. H. Netley of the Metta.

## Specialist Dies at Sea

Dr. Ross Had Done Valuable Work in Cancer Research

London.—Dr. Hugh Campbell Ross of London, director of the McEwen Research Foundation, who had done valuable work in the investigation of cancer, died at sea on his way to England, aboard the liner Narkunda. He was buried at sea.

Dr. Ross, besides being at the head of the McEwen organization, was director of the Later Institute of Preventive Medicine. He was 51 years old, a son of Sir Campbell C. G. Ross, K.C.B. He served in the South African War as a surgeon. While medical health officer at Cairo, under Lord Cromer's Administration in Egypt, he started mosquito extermination there. Since 1910 he had been occupied chiefly with cancer researches at the two institutes of which he was director. Several new methods of research were developed under his leadership. He devised several processes for the prevention of industrial cancer.

## Gasoline Was Fatal

Constable in Far North Loses Life Through Using Gas for Lighting

Edmonton.—According to word received here from the far north, Constable Frederick Rhoads of the R.C.M.P., used gasoline to light a fire in his shack at Fort Rae, resulting in his death and injuries to Constable F. L. Armstrong. News of the tragedy was given out at police headquarters in Ottawa, Monday.

Letters from Fort Rae state that Rhoads was lighting the fire and poured some gasoline on the smoldering log.

A four-gallon can he had in his hands exploded and enveloped him in flames which Armstrong vainly tried to quench. Before he could even get Rhoads outside the buildings were a raging inferno, and everything the men had was destroyed.

## Will Continue Arctic Exploration Work

Captain Wilkins Leaves Seattle for North Pole February 5

Detroit, Mich.—To pick up his Arctic exploration work where he left off last spring, Captain George T. Wilkins plans to leave Seattle for the north on February 5.

Two aeroplanes, the Alaskan and the Albatross, were stored at Fairbanks, and Captain Wilkins plans to place the wings of the Albatross on the fuselage of the Alaskan and then fly from Fairbanks to Point Barrow. At the latter point, 2,500 gallons of gasoline has been stored in preparation for the flight towards the North Pole.

A series of mishaps delayed the start of the expedition last spring until weather conditions made Arctic flying impossible.

## RUM EXPORTERS MAY BE DRIVEN OUT OF BUSINESS

Vancouver.—Although refusing to concede that alcohol by Canadian customs of a \$350,000 liquor cargo on the auxiliary schooner Chris Moxley will establish a precedent governing future shipments, Vancouver liquor exporters are perturbed, according to the Province.

They see the hand of the Canadian Government extended to help the United States enforce its prohibition laws; and they fear that Dominion customs officers will in this endeavor assume practices of American liquor enforcement authorities so that what it is impossible to accomplish according to the letter of the law will be brought about indirectly.

To be more explicit, they say that the Chris Moxley seizure has started costly litigation, which, with other hazards of the business, would financially ruin exporters and make the game not worth the candle. They are up against heavy expenses south of the international boundary, they point out, and if confronted with the same situation here there will be no profit in the business.

Liquor exporters speak of emulating practices of American liquor enforcement authorities they mean that the latter seize, for example, a rum-running ship, or 30 miles out at sea, where she has a legal right to be, and then initiate prosecution with all incidents of heavy bail and expensive lawyers which, in the end, breaks the morale of the owners.

Harassed on both sides of the line, liquor exporters may be driven out of business. The more certain prospect of losses and of protracted litigation are both factors which they are considering.

## FAMINE SPECTRE WILL NO LONGER THREATEN INDIA

Ottawa.—"The nightmare of famine in India which previously caused millions of deaths annually has been completely dispelled," Frederick Palmer, president of the British Institute of Civil Engineers, told members of the Ottawa branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada at luncheon here. He said the building of irrigation works throughout the country and networks of railroads has altered the famine area for all time.

Mr. Palmer, who has been engaged by the Canadian Government to investigate the ports of Hudson Bay in view of the decision to complete the Hudson Bay Railway to the water, was given a welcome by Richard J. Durley, of Montreal, secretary of the Engineering Institute of Canada, and by the president of the branch, C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, Hon. W. R. Motherwell and Hon. Robert Forke.

The speaker did not discuss in any way his mission to Hudson Bay, except to remark that a few weeks ago he was looking over harbor works in the Equatorial Gold Coast and now was assigned "to the Arctic regions." He urged that closer relations should exist among the engineering associations of the world and particularly those of the British Empire.

Mr. Palmer, as consulting engineer for the Government of India, has been associated with recent years in harbor, irrigation and railroad projects in that country.

"The average charge in India," he said, "for carrying goods of all classes on the railroads is one cent per ton-mile. Coal is carried at one-half cent per ton-mile. Third class passengers who account for 36 per cent of the passenger business, are carried at two-thirds of one cent per mile. The policy of the Government is one of cheap transportation and as a result millions of tons of freight business have been developed which would not have been carried under a higher rate."

## Taking Long Journey To Observe Eclipse

Group of Scientists Will Go To Norway in June

Philadelphia.—An expedition will be made to Norway this coming summer to engage in scientific work confined to the brief space of one-half month.

This was announced by Professor S. A. Mitchell, director of the McCormick Observatory, University of Virginia, speaking before the American Astronomical Society. The expedition is to observe a total eclipse of the sun, June 29.

"The path of totality will pass across the North of England early in the morning," said Prof. Mitchell, and soon after will reach Norway and continue on its way to the Atlantic Ocean and Northern Siberia. It is the first total eclipse that has visited the British Isles in more than a century. The shadow will barely touch the earth's surface, with the result that totality will last only 30 seconds.

"The expedition is going to Norway rather than to England, because of the promise of better weather conditions."

## 131 Divorce Cases

Ottawa.—There are 131 applications for divorce awaiting the reopening of Parliament in February. Of these, 121 are residents of Ontario and ten from Quebec. Most of the other provinces have divorce courts of their own and do not come to Ottawa to have marriages annulled.

## Ratified by Senate

Mexico City.—The Mexican Senate ratified the British-Mexican claims convention for revolutionary damages suffered by British subjects from 1810 to 1922. The Senate also amended the existing treaty of commerce between Mexico and France.

## Canada Extends Sympathy

Ottawa.—An expression of profound sympathy with the people of Japan in the death of Emperor Yoshihito was extended on behalf of Canada by Premier Mackenzie King in a letter written to the Japanese consul-general at Ottawa.

## U.S. Steamer Founders

Paris.—A telephone message by way of Berlin to the Black Sea says the United States steamer Astoria has foundered in the Black Sea, near Kayastka, Rumania, with the loss of 21 lives.

The cost of a horsehide in Germany now equals the value of the horse two years ago.



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## A GOOD NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION

As will be noticed by an article in another column, there is a big movement on foot in Britain—supported by businessmen and sane labor leaders—to try and make 1927 "a year without strikes." This splendid New Year's resolution these forward looking men have made, will, no doubt, have a stormy voyage, and it is more than likely it will receive a number of severe setbacks before the 31st of December next is reached, nevertheless seed will have been planted in virgin soil and in the years to come may bring forth abundant fruit.

There is no gainsaying the fact that of recent years both in Britain and on this continent, the strike and lock-out bludgeons have been losing caste with thinking men in the ranks of labor and employers. The final chapter in the history of nine out of ten strikes or lock-outs is written by a fellow called Mr. Conciliation and Compromise. By using the good offices of this peace-maker in the first chapter, nine out of ten of these industrial wars would finish before starting.

Any movement having for its object the advancement of the day when this civilized method of dealing with industrial disputes shall be the rule instead of the exception, merits the united support of all who have the welfare of mankind at heart.

## ALBERTA LEADS ALL PROVINCES IN OIL PRODUCTION

Alberta has now been officially recognized as the largest oil producing province in the Dominion and during the past year has produced more oil than all the rest of Canada combined.

This condition has been brought about by the remarkable output of Royalite Naptha well No. 4 which is controlled by the Imperial Oil Company in Turner Valley, by the steadily growing output of crude oil from wells in the Wainwright field and by production from other wells in the northern part of the province.

The Wainwright field is the only part of Alberta where crude oil has been found in more than one well in commercial quantities. The wells in Turner Valley produce naptha (practically pure gasoline) but no crude oil has so far been discovered in the southern field. The several completed wells in the Wainwright or northern field, have produced many hundreds of thousands of gallons of crude oil which has been refined and sold on the open market during the past year. If present production is maintained and wells now drilling and planned for 1927 are brought in, oil production in Alberta will have become one of our thriving industries along with agriculture, mining, and lumbering.

If you want bad news prepare a little speech about hard times and recite it to ever person that comes along. Tell everybody how hard times are. Hang crepe on your door. Put the map of misery on your face. Express doubt about the future, pour cold water on every movement to build up the community. Magnify your own troubles and the evils of the day, and tell how "nice" you try to be to people and how "rough" they treat you. Knock your opposition, the worst sinner on earth, then go down to the Old Man river and jump in.

With the passing of Alex. Ross from the Alberta cabinet, Labor lost the only representative it had in the council of the government. With several strong Labor representatives to choose from, it seems strange that the government ignored this group and appointed a Farmer to the post formerly held by a Labor man. What price co-operation?

The biggest thing we can do for Coleman during 1927 is to live in it, work in it, buy in it, play in it, trust in it, and boost for it. The results are sure. Mere population, beauty, convenience, wealth and natural surroundings are fine, but it takes initiative to make things go.

A popular phrase is that it takes "men, money and method" to carry out the objects of organized communities. The main thing, therefore, in all public endeavors is to get good men, ample funds, and right purposes. The rest comes easily.

The idea is rather general that the chief curse of life is to work for a living. Thinking men know that work is the salvation of the race, morally, physically, socially. Work does more than get us our living; it gets us our life.

If you aren't satisfied in your town, don't cuss the town. Take stock of yourself. There may be something wrong with you.

## WHAT OTHER EDITOR'S SAY

## Britain Aims at a Year Without Strikes.

"A year without strikes," is one of Britain's good resolutions. The most powerful drive of its kind ever inaugurated in the Mother Country opened on New Year's day, with the business executives, the men of vision in the ranks of labor, the press and the government all enlisted to work to give this slogan effect. If the united efforts of the British people put that over, it will be the largest accomplishment in any year since the war.

This won't be accomplished without heroic efforts to defeat it by agitators who subsist by promoting industrial trouble, or without blind prejudices on the parts of some heads of industries tending to throw a monkey wrench into the works.

But if the great mass of the working people determine to give the policy of a full year's work without strike deductions, a trial, the mischief makers may be held down. And if in the various industries the great majority of the executives back up and insist on the policy of conciliation, those who would rather shut their plants than compromise where there is some of right on both sides may find themselves so unpopular in their own circles that they will fall in line.

"A year without strikes" is a magnificent program. If it is successful, so will be all other programs, for all that they ask is a chance.—Nelson News.

## The Bank is a Very Important Institution.

The people are prone to overlook the functions that a bank performs in its daily routine of business, in fact renders a service just as necessary as any other line of business.

The bank has become interwoven into the very fabric of our everyday existence, and is the life blood through which any economic advance has to be made.

The extension of the credit system, the payment of bills by cheques and drafts, the transfer of funds for the many business transactions, through the use of the banking system, facilitates business to such an extent that the service is often accepted, simply as a matter of course, without a single thought in regard to the inconvenience that would exist if the banking service should cease, even for a few days.

The banking system in Canada possibly is not quite so elastic as that in the United States, but it certainly is much more safe for the depositors, and in the main, is a happy medium between the banking system in Great Britain and that in the Republic to the south.

Next to the canny Scots, the Jews are recognized as the greatest financial geniuses. In the discussion regarding business one gentleman of Scotch ancestry asked the Hebrew, who was the greatest inventor in the world, and the Jewish gentleman replied that possibly the laurel should be awarded to Edison or perhaps Watt, the inventor of the steam engine; but the gentleman from the land of oatmeal, completely floored the Jewish speaker by asking the question, "What about the fellow who invented interest?" which concluded once and for all the discussion.—Strathmore Standard.

John T. Stirling, Chief  
Mine Inspector, to Quit

EDMONTON, Jan. 4.—The resignation of John T. Stirling as chief inspector of mines of the province, a position he has held for 12 years, is forecast in unofficial reports in circulation around government corridors this week.

Who will succeed Mr. Stirling has not been decided by the government.

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## Weekly News

Programme for Week Ending, Friday, January 14th, 1927

Fri., Jan. 7th. General skating from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. Senior league hockey game, Blairmore vs. Coleman 8 p. m. to 10 p. m. Admission, adults 35c, children 15c.

Sat., Jan. 8th. Local hockey games from 9 a. m. to 12 m. General skating from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. Ladies hockey practice from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. General skating from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m. Band in attendance.

Mon., Jan. 10th. General skating from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m. General skating from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Tues., Jan. 11th. General skating from 3 p. m. to 5 p. m. Junior hockey practice from 7 p. m. to 7.30 p. m. Ladies hockey practice from 7.30 p. m. to 8 p. m. Band in attendance.

Wed., Jan. 12th. General skating from 3 p. m. to 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. Grand Fancy Dress Carnival from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m. General admission, adults 25c, children 15c. Band in attendance.

Thurs., Jan. 13th. General skating from 3 p. m. to 5 p. m. Senior hockey practice from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. General skating from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Fri., Jan. 14th. General skating from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. League hockey game, Bellevue vs. Coleman from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m.

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## Here and There

Canada's birth rate leads all the white races of the world, according to a close study made here of comparative figures. Canada's birth rate is 23.4 to the thousand, and Australia comes next with 23.2. England and Wales fall slightly below France with 18.8.

"The manufacturing industry is moving west," says J. E. Walsh, General Manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. "The increase in prairie industries shows this. We are having the same experience here as they had in the United States. The Prairie Provinces are fast becoming industrialized."

A gold medal awarded to the Canadian Pacific Railway in recognition of the excellence of its exhibits at the Canadian Exhibition recently held in Toronto, was received at headquarters of the system here today. Similar medals have also been awarded to the Dominion and Provincial Governments and to a limited number of exhibitors.

This, from the Lethbridge Herald, is hard to surpass: "A farmer moved onto a half section in the Iron Springs district last spring. He got in a good crop; irrigated carefully and watched results. He threshed a \$6,000 crop in this first year; paid \$2,500 on his land; \$1,500 on equipment and cleared off a \$400 loan. This left him a comfortable balance of \$1,200 to go on with."

The President Beatty Prize is being offered by the President of the Canadian Pacific Railway to the man obtaining the highest number of marks during the coming training season at the training farm of the British Ministry of Labor at Brandon, Norfolk. The award consists of a cash prize and employment at current wages upon the C.P.R. Supply Farm at Strathmore, Alberta. A similar prize will be made available in the spring of 1928.

An outstanding feature of the past few weeks has been the export of live foxes by the Canadian Pacific Express in Montreal. Trade statistics show that in the past fiscal year 5,590 live foxes, valued at \$1,434,686, left Canada for other countries. Canadian foxes have gone to be bred in stock in the United States, United Kingdom, Belgium, France, Germany, Newfoundland, Norway, Switzerland, Finland, Japan and Russia.

Announcement was made from Canadian Pacific Railway headquarters here recently that two free scholarships, covering one year's tuition in the Faculty of Arts and four years' tuition in architecture, chemical, civil, mechanical or electrical engineering at McGill University, are offered by the company, subject to competitive examination, to apprentices and other employees enrolled on the permanent staff of the company and under 21 years of age, and to minor sons of employees.

The recent snowfalls have directed attention, earlier than usual, to the coming Dog-Derby—the 1927 Eastern International Dog-Sled Derby—which is to be run off at Quebec City on February 21st, 22nd and 23rd. Six entries have been received so far: H. Chevrete, who will carry the colors of The Paquet Co., Ltd.; an Ontario Paper Co. entry; H. I. Sutton, of Chicago; two Price Brothers entries, and P. J. Molloy, of Berlin, New Hampshire. Such is the line-up to date, about twenty entries being expected.

Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, General Manager of the Bank of Montreal, points out in the current Public Utilities issue of the "Financial Times" that Canada's utilization of power has increased 180 per cent. in the past ten years and that the country now stands second in the world in the utilization of hydro power. When present plans mature Canada will have 4,600,000 h.p. in use, representing a capital investment of \$854,000,000, while undeveloped power wealth will still be prodigious, conservatively estimated at 28,000,000 h.p.

Ripe plums are now being sent to England, arriving there in prime condition. The Ontario Department of Agriculture reports having made a trial shipment with excellent results, as attested by word from the other side. The plums were picked ripe and fully colored.

## Here and There

The fourth Eastern International Dog Derby to be held from Quebec City February 21, 22 and 23, promises to be the most keenly contested ever held. It is expected that over 20 teams will be entered for the race.

Christmas tree shipments from Quebec to the United States ran to 460,000 over Canadian Pacific lines last year, and present expectation is that this number will be equaled at least this year. Revenue to farmers of the province from this source ran to \$100,000 last year.

Four carloads of silver foxes, valued at \$750,000, have left Prince Edward Island in one shipment for the Western States: Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, Oregon and Washington. Viewed as a livestock shipment, it is said to be a record one. A number of prize winners were among the pack.

Dog teams will be used this winter by the Hudson's Bay-Maryland organization to prosecute oil development work in the Ribstone field in North-eastern Alberta. This is the area where the quest for oil started following a favorable report by Dr. G. S. Hume, head of the Dominion Geological Survey.

Christmas travel over the Canadian Pacific routes to the Old Country has been heavier this year than ever before experienced. Special trains have been run from Winnipeg directly to the ship's side at Saint John, N.B. The westerners credit this heavy movement to England for Christmas to the excellent conditions that prevail throughout the west.

The hundred settler families from the British Isles brought out by the Scottish Immigrant Aid Society to form the Clan Donald Colony are doing splendidly, according to a field supervisor's report just submitted. When they landed at their destination they found farms, houses, barns and equipment ready so that no time was lost in preliminaries.

Turkish tobacco, grown in Alberta, is better than that grown in Turkey or Greece, according to Mr. Baker here, who grew 1,000 pounds as an experiment this season. He plotted out three-quarters of an acre to ten varieties of tobacco seed. The crop was harvested ripe before the coming of frost, and of the ten varieties Turkish, White Barkley and Orinoco thrived best.

Nearly 1,050 overseas vessels entered the Harbor of Montreal and over 550 coastal vessels docked there in the season just closed. This makes a very favorable showing compared with the 1,255 overseas and 215 coastal vessels of the previous season. During the period of open navigation over 113,850,000 bushels of grain were shipped from the port and flour shipments totalled 2,090,000 barrels.

Canada scored again at the Chicago Exposition when the blue ribbon grand championship in the Clydesdale stallion division went to Forest Favorite, owned by Haggerty and Black of Belle Plaine, Saskatchewan. Last year the University of Saskatchewan took the coveted honor with Green Meadow Footsteps. This year, it is said, the veteran Canadian stallion was an easy winner over all others.

"There is better hunting today in the Canadian Rockies than was the case when white men first began systematic exploration of them nearly fifty years ago," said Tom E. Wilson, of Banff, one of the outstanding pioneer mountain guides, when interviewed at Canadian Pacific headquarters recently. Mr. Wilson was the first white man to discover Lake Louise and Yoho Valley. A plaque or statue has been erected in the Yoho Valley in honor of him, by the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies.

A valuable consignment of twenty-six silver black foxes valued at approximately \$20,000 was handled by the Canadian Pacific Express Company in Montreal recently. The animals were shipped directly from the Meritt Silver Black Fox Ranch at Meritt, B.C., and will be forwarded to Messrs. Badell and Paulin, Grenoble, France, who are now for ranch of which this British Columbia shipment will be the nucleus.

## Former Residents Drowned.

(Continued from Page One)

land started to take the party across the river to their home at Mackinon.

As none of the party reached their homes, considerable uneasiness was felt by the villagers, and eventually at daylight a search was begun.

### Find Hats, Oars

In a short time two hats and the oars were discovered on the beach on the east side, when the searchers were forced to conclude that the whole party had been drowned in the icy water.

About 8 o'clock the rowboat was seen upturned, across from Graham's Landing, three miles south of Mackinon, by Pilot Frank Sutherland of the steamer Minto, when on his northbound run. The steamer's officers had no knowledge of the tragedy at the time.

Around noon the body of Mrs. Rogers was found on a sandbar, two miles south of the crossing point, and brought home.

Constable W. A. Jupp, of the provincial police was notified by Mr. Rogers by telephone and left for the scene in his launch early Saturday morning, and a large number of volunteers were on the ground to assist in the search.

An all-day search Saturday revealed no further traces of the victims.

At daybreak today the search was resumed by the entire countywide on both sides of the Columbia, and was prosecuted from Arrow Park south to Burton, without result. A message tonight states the launch of the government dredge was obtained, and equipped with grapplers, and the search was continued over the shallows. It rained all day, making it difficult or impossible to see the bottom. The party on the

launch, however, found the capsized boat in the vicinity of Burton and took it back to Mackinon.

**Probably Overloaded**  
No witness is alive to tell the details of the tragedy, but it is supposed that the 14 foot, homemade, flat-bottom craft had too many in it, and when crossing the swift current, perhaps because of the movement of one of the occupants, was unable to maintain a stable condition, and capsized.

Florida—The new drydock just completed at Esquimalt, Victoria, is the second largest in the world and only 29 feet shorter than the Commonwealth dock at Boston. This giant dock, built out of solid rock, cost \$6,000,000 and measures 1150 feet long, 149 feet wide at the top and 126 at the bottom. Its depth is 49 feet 5 inches with 40 feet of water in the sills at high water. The dock will take the largest ship afloat.

The shipment of Canadian apples to England and to many centres on the Continent is expected to be heavier this year than ever experienced, according to J. R. Martin, manager of the foreign freight department of the Canadian Pacific Express Company. About three years ago the practice of sending Canadian apples to the Old Country as Christmas gifts became popular, and the shipment each year have correspondingly increased.

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